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- Generalinspekteur Heinz Hoffmann, hief of the HVA, has been ordered by Wilhelm 1. Zeisser, East German Minister of State Security to draft a conscription law to provide men for the FDJ (Freie Deutsche Jugend (Free German Youth)), Dienst fuer Deutschland (Service for Germany) and the VOPO (Volkspolizei (People's Police)). 1
- A staff of 12 has been assembled under Erich Frey to direct the Dienst fuer 2. Deutschland training; the training day is to include 3 hours of military instruction.
- The order is to be drafted to give the service the appearance of being voluntary. The sequence of service for the personnel is to be as follows:
 - Entrance in the Freie Deutsche Jugend
 - One-half year in the Dienst fuer Deutschland b.
 - One year in the Volkspolizei. 1 ٥,

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